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All references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are cited in the specification, and in the International Preliminary Examination Report dated 05 November 2004 for Application No. PCT/GB03/03425.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

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